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1. THE FOLLOWING DATA ON SWEDISH MOTOR VEHICLE PRODUCTION FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1977 HAVE BEEN OBTAINED FROM THE ASSOCIATION OF SWEDISH AUTOMOBILE MANUFACTURERS AND WHOLESALERS. NUMBER OF UNITS: PASSENGER CARS - 235, 383; COMMERCIAL VEHICLES - 51,518 (OF WHICH 47,188 WERE TRUCKS, AND 4,330 WERE BUSES).

2. THE DATA ABOVE REPRESENT THE COMBINED PRODUCTION OF VOLVO, AND SAAB-SCANIA, THE NATION'S TWO MANUFACTURERS OF HIGHWAY MOTOR VEHICLES. ASSEMBLY PRODUCTION OF VEHICLES BY THE SWEDISH SUBSIDIARIES OF FORD MOTOR COMPANY AND GENERAL MOTORS WAS TERMINATED MANY YEARS AGO. AS FAR AS WE KNOW NEITHER SAAB NOR VOLVO ASSEMBLES VEHICLES FROM KNOCK DOWN UNIT ORIGINATING OUTSIDE OF SWEDEN.  
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